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AB A processing chamber cleaning method is described which uses microwave energy to remotely generate a reactive species to be used alone or in combination with an inert gas to remove deposits from a processing chamber. The reactive species can remove deposits from a 1st processing region at a 1st pressure and then remove deposits from a 2nd processing region at a 2nd pressure. Also described is a cleaning process using remotely generated reactive species in a single processing region at 2 different pressures. Addnl., different ratios of reactive gas and inert gas may be used to improve the uniformity of the cleaning process, increase the cleaning rate, reduce recombination of reactive species and increase the residence time of reactive species provided to the processing chamber.

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